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RE: United States Steel Corporation Clairton Works
NOx CEM System B Battery
Part 60 and Part 75 RATA Test

This letter serves as formal notification that U.S. Steel Clairton Works intends to conduct the annual Relative Accuracy Test Audit (RATA) of the continuous emissions monitoring system (CEMS) at B Battery. U.S. Steel has contracted Advanced Technology System, Inc. (ATS) to conduct the RATA test on May 8, 2003.

The testing will be done to satisfy both the requirements of the PA DEP's Continuous Source Monitoring Manual and the EPA's Title 40 Part 75 Regulations. The test protocol was previously submitted with the notification and test protocol for Boilers 1 and 2.

Thank you for your attention in this matter. If you have any questions, please call me at 412-233-1015. I can also be reached by email at cdavis@uss.com.

Sincerely,

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Gentlemen:

Subject: "B" Battery Combustion Stack Compliance Demonstration

This letter serves as formal notification of our intention to initiate a compliance demonstration program on "B" Battery Combustion Stack on May 8 2003. Three particulate emission concentration tests will be conducted for a duration of sixty minutes each. Each test will be complimented by simultaneous visible emission observations.

The sampling methods and equipment employed will be those referenced in 40 C.F.R. Part 60, Appendix A, most recent revision. These methods were outlined in the test protocol previously submitted.

This tentative schedule is contingent upon normal operations of "B" Battery Stack and acceptable weather.

Refer questions regarding this letter to Mr. M. E. Hohman at (412) 233-1467.

Very truly yours,

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